

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

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TITLE: METHOD OF TRANSCODING AND TRANSCODING DEVICE WITH
EMBEDDED FILTERS

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to calculation of the filing fee and examination,
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

14. (Amended) A computer program product for a digital video recorder, which computer program product comprises a set of instructions, which, when loaded into said digital video recorder, causes the digital video recorder to carry out the method as claimed in claim 1.

15. (Amended) A computer program product for a set-top-box, which computer program product comprises a set of instructions, which, when loaded into said set-top-box, causes the set-top-box to carry out the method as claimed in claim 1 .

REMARKS

The foregoing Preliminary Amendment to claims 14 and 15 was made solely to avoid filing the claim in the multiple dependant form so as to avoid the additional filing fee.

The claims were not amended in order to address issues of patentability and Applicant respectfully reserves all rights she may have under the Doctrine of Equivalents. Applicant furthermore reserves her right to reintroduce subject matter deleted herein at a later time during the prosecution of this application or continuing applications.

Respectfully submitted,

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APPENDIX

14. (Amended) A computer program product for a digital video recorder, which computer program product comprises a set of instructions, which, when loaded into said digital video recorder, causes the digital video recorder to carry out the method as claimed in claims 1 to 7.

15. (Amended) A computer program product for a set-top-box, which computer program product comprises a set of instructions, which, when loaded into said set-top- box, causes the set-top-box to carry out the method as claimed in claims 1 to 7.

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